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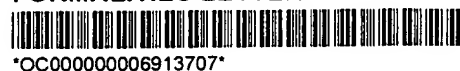
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$574.
 - \$414 for 23 total claims over 20.
 - \$160 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1414.

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In Re Application Of:

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Serial Number: 09/954,621

Filing Date: September 17, 2001

Entitled: **LABEL SHEET CONSTRUCTION
AND METHOD**

Group Art Unit: 1771

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
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Sir:

Responsive to the “Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application – Filing Date Granted” mailed October 16, 2001 and having a shortened response period set to expire on December 16, 2001, Applicants are submitting herewith (1) a copy of that Notice; (2) a Declaration and Petition executed by Inventors; (3) an Assignment (with recordation cover sheet

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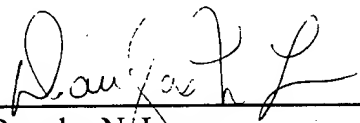
and filing fee of \$40.00); (4) a check in the amount of \$1414.00 for the filing of this Response (which includes the basic filing fee of \$710.00, the extra claims fee of \$574.00 and the surcharge fee of \$130.00); and (5) a return postage paid post card.

In the event any variance exists between the amount attached and the Patent and Trademark Office charges, please charge or credit any variance to our Deposit Account No. 16-2230.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the corrected official Filing Receipt be issued at an early date.

Respectfully requested,

Dated: November 21, 2001



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